House of Representatives



General Assembly

File No. 255

January Session, 2017

House Bill No. 6219

House of Representatives, March 28, 2017

The Committee on Labor and Public Employees reported through REP. PORTER of the 94th Dist., Chairperson of the Committee on the part of the House, that the bill ought to pass.

AN ACT CONCERNING COMMUNITY REENTRY BY PERSONS WHO WERE INCARCERATED.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

Section 1. (Effective October 1, 2017) The Commission on Equity and Opportunity shall study and recommend ways to provide (1) persons 2 recently released from correctional facilities with enhanced 3 employment opportunities, and (2) tax incentives to employers who 4 5 provide employment opportunities to persons recently released from 6 correctional facilities. Not later than January 1, 2018, the commission shall report on such study, in accordance with the provisions of section

8 11-4a of the general statutes, to the joint standing committee of the

9 General Assembly having cognizance of matters relating to labor and

10 public employees.

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This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following
sections:

October 1, 2017 Section 1 New section HB6219 File No. 255

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OFA Fiscal Note

State Impact: None

Municipal Impact: None

Explanation

The bill requires the Commission on Equity and Opportunity to study and, recommend ways to provide persons recently released from correctional facilities with enhanced employment opportunities, will not have a fiscal impact.

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Municipal Impact: None

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SUMMARY

The Office of Legislative Research does not analyze Special Acts.

COMMITTEE ACTION

Labor and Public Employees Committee

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